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In re

Patent Application of

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"ENGINE MOUNTING SYSTEM FOR A

MOTORCYCLE"

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COMMENTS ON STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.104(E)

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Sir:

This communication responds to the Examiner's statement of the reasons for allowance of the claims, contained within the Notice of Allowance and Fee(s) Due mailed February 11, 2005.

Applicants wish to comment on the Examiner's statements regarding the reasons for allowance of claims 10-15 and 17-19 by pointing out that the reasons set forth by the Examiner refer only to certain features of independent claim 10 and are not the only reasons that claims 10-15 and 17-19 are allowable. Independent claims 10 and 15 may include additional patentable

features or combinations of features not mentioned by the Examiner or taught or suggested by the prior art. Additionally, each of dependent claims 11-14 and 17-19 may include additional patentable features or combinations of features not mentioned by the Examiner.

As such, claims 10-15 and 17-19 may be patentable for reasons not mentioned by the Examiner as well as for those reasons mentioned by the Examiner.

Respectfully submitted,

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